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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/779,796 Confirmation No. : 9623
First Named Inventor : Yoko NAKAYAMA
Filed : February 18, 2004
TC/A.U. : 3747
Examiner : Solis, Erick R.
Docket No. : 056203.48603C2
Customer No. : 23911
Title : Cylinder Injection Type Internal Combustion Engine,
Control Method for Internal Combustion Engine, and Fuel
Injection Valve

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action mailed on or after August 12, 2004.

Petition for Extension of Time begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by three months pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$1,020 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket # 056203.48603C2).